



Call for Proposals

2023 Kentucky History Education Conference

"Turning Points in History"

Location: ONSITE at KHS in Frankfort **AND** VIRTUAL via Zoom

Conference Date: Thursday, July 13, 2023

Proposal Due Date: April 14, 2023

Do you have an innovative classroom practice or engaging social studies topic to share with educators? If so, consider joining like-minded teachers as a presenter at the **Kentucky History Education Conference (KHEC)**. Each summer, KHEC gathers K-12 educators from across the state for a daylong conference to explore content, obtain resources, hear from scholars and colleagues, and learn about other educators' proven classroom strategies. Whether you are a new teacher looking to brainstorm with peers or a veteran educator with years of experience, join us at KHEC 2023!

As you create a session proposal, consider the following suggestions from past KHEC attendees:

- Provide ideas or materials that colleagues can immediately implement in the classroom
- Demonstrate hands-on activities and/or easy tech tools
- Look at 20th century historical topics
- Share strategies that relate to the *KAS for Social Studies* and state assessments
- Focus on Project Based Learning, Document Based Questions, Inquiry, or other teaching styles
- Address social studies threads such as geography, economics, or civics or integrate history with other subjects such as language arts, science, fine arts, etc.

KHS chooses the theme for KHEC to follow the upcoming theme of National History Day, one of KHS's flagship K-12 programs. The theme for National History Day 2024 is *Turning Points in History*, and while all KHEC session proposals will be considered, ones that integrate this theme will be given special consideration.

For the first time, KHS will offer KHEC as both an ONSITE and a VIRTUAL event. The onsite experience includes concurrent sessions, exhibitors, and networking with peers, while the virtual experience offers a "track" of sessions that will be presented live onsite for an online audience. KHS will make virtual content available to all participants via the Conference Google Drive at the conclusion of the conference.

The deadline for proposals is April 14, 2023. KHS will notify Selected presenters by April 28, 2023. Accepted presenters will have their conference registration fee waived.



Please feel free to share this call for proposals. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,
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Session Proposal Form

Theme: "Turning Points in History"

Date: Thursday, July 13, 2023

Location: ONSITE at the Kentucky Historical Society in Frankfort

Presenter(s): _____

Target Grade Level (check all that apply): ☐ K-5 ☐ 6-8 ☐ 9-12

Session Title: _____

Session Description (max. 200 words) – This is the description that will appear in the conference program so write an enticing description that will make teachers want to attend your session!

Tech Needed for Presentation: ☐ Laptop ☐ Projector ☐ Video ☐ Audio ☐ Internet

Note: Session length is 50 minutes.

Presenter(s) Contact Information:

Address: _____

School: _____

Social Media Handles: Facebook _____ Twitter _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Summer Phone: _____ Summer Email: _____

☐ By checking here, I give the Kentucky Historical Society permission to film/record/photograph my presentation and share it via social media, newsletters, or other means.

Note: Please attach presenter(s) biography (2-4 sentences) to this form as well.



Selected presenters will be notified by April 28, 2023. Accepted presenters will have their conference registration fees waived with breakfast and lunch provided. Presenters are responsible for mileage, hotel, and all other travel expenses.

Please mail or email completed form by April 14, 2023 to:

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